

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 457

By Harrison

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jacquelyn Alyssia Crawford, member of the top ten of the 2013 graduating class of Volunteer High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jacquelyn Alyssia Crawford is one such exceptional student who was recently named as a member of the top ten of the 2013 graduating class of Volunteer High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Crawford has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Jacquelyn Alyssia Crawford has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in a number of extracurricular activities and organizations, including the Beta Club, Technology Students of America, and the cheerleading squad; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Miss Crawford was a 2012 Girls' State delegate, was named a TN/VA Scholar, was chosen as a UCA All-American Cheerleader, won the DAR Good Citizen's Award and a gubernatorial commendation for Achievements in Art, took second place in the Voice of Democracy Contest, and won a subject award in AP Biology; and

WHEREAS, she is a firm believer in the importance of community service, and has volunteered her time to the Lunch Box Program and the Cinderella Project and has rendered sterling service as a mentor for kindergarten students at Mt. Carmel Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, Jacquelyn Alyssia Crawford's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Miss Crawford's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Donald and Lori Crawford, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Jacquelyn Alyssia Crawford's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE SCRAWFORD OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Jacquelyn Alyssia Crawford, a member of the top ten of the 2013 graduating class of Volunteer High School, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.